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CHARACTERISTICS OF A LAMBDA SENSOR USED FOR
CYLINDER-INDIVIDUAL LAMBDA CLOSED-LOOP
CONTROL**

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SIR:

Please find an Amendment transmitted herewith for filing in the
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Office Action of May 20, 2008. The extended period for response expires on October 20,
2008. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the appropriate fee, which is believed to be
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